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Correction: 'If only I had bought . . .'[(cvr) 24nov94, 108]
29dec94/05jan95, 04
[Shim Kun Sup bought Hyundai shares from the company's 1992 chairman, Chung Ju Yung, not Chong Se Yong as stated.]
Asia /investment /Hyundai Group /Shim Kun Sup
Correction: Insecurity blanket [22dec94, 56]
02feb95, 03
[Sudwikatmono is a director of Tri Polyta Indonesia, a subsidiary of Chandra Asri, not of Chandra Asri as described.]
Indonesia /petrochemicals /Chandra Asri /Tri Polyta
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Correction: Promises, promises [(cvr) 02mar95, 55]
16mar95, 04
[Companies in Beijing have been asked to contribute 27% of workers' salaries for pensions, not 20% as quoted.]
China /population /finance /pension funds
Li Ka-shing
23mar95, 04
[Apology to Li Ka-shing for references in "The mantle slips" (02mar95,15)]
Li Ka-shing /Cheung Kong (Holdings) Ltd /property development / Oriental Plaza /Beijing /construction /Shougang Group
Correction: Sol W. Sanders' letter [(let) 30mar95,04]
20apr95, 04
[Mr Sanders' letter about Indonesia's Sjahir should have read Sukarno [was] "the quintessential opportunist" not "the quintessential optimist."]
Indonesia /Sukarno /Soetan Sjahir /Sol W. Sanders
Correction: A nation in waiting [(5th) 20apr95,34]
04may95, 04
[Wrong photo was published with column written by Jomo K.S.]
Malaysia /politics /Arief Budiman
Correction: No minister [08dec94,61]
18may95, 04
[Asif Ali Zardari was detained on 13 charges for two years during Nawaz Sharif's tenure, but during this period was acquitted by the courts of all charges. He was thus never convicted for corruption as stated. The REVIEW apologizes for the error and any embarrassment caused.]
Pakistan /Asif Ali Zardari
Correction: The great divide [27jul95,18]
10aug95, 04
[Richard Nixon visited Beijing in 1972, not 25 years ago as stated.]
China /US
Correction: No pain, no gain [(foc) 28sep95,64]
12oct95, 04
[Currency was misstated in table for South Korea's eight largest banks; correct profit figures are in billions of won.]
South Korea /banking /finance
Correction: Total correction [12oct95,22]
19oct95, 04
[Title of book should have been 'Oei Tjoe Tat: Assistant to President Sukarno.']
Indonesia /censorship /history
Correction: Get in the fast lane [(cvr) 12oct95,73]
16nov95, 04
[Tables omitted US investment in Indonesia. Indonesia approved $3.05 billion in investment by American companies from April 1994 to March 1995, according to the Capital Investment Coordinating Board.]
Indonesia /foreign investment /US
Correction: The new nationalism [(cvr) 09nov95,21]
23nov95, 04
[The comment that "the Chinese have a hard time undertanding why they cannot do things that other powers did before . . ." was made by Jianwei Wang at the East-West Center in Honolulu. It was erroneously attributed to Wang Jisi.]
China /nationalism
Correction: Yankee, come back! [(cvr/wtpm) 19oct95,42/57-63]
30nov95, 04
[Chart listing 10 top emerging-market funds over last 3 years should have included Lippo Indonesian Growth Fund, which placed tenth. Also, in fund tables supplied by Micropal Asia, data labelled as performance figures for previous three months are for previous six months.]
Asia /investment /managed funds
Correction: The lions' share [09nov95,78]
07dec95, 03
[Chart on comparative business costs overstated the long-distance telephone charges from Singapore. International direct-dial rates to Japan are $1.42 to $1.56 per minute; and to US, 99 cents to $1.35 per minute.]
Singapore /telecommunications /telephone /business /foreign investment
Correction: The lions' share [09nov95,76]
07dec95, 03
[The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp has not moved any operations to Singapore; a related company, HSBC Asset Management, has moved three fund managers to Singapore.]
Singapore /business /The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp Ltd / HSBC Asset Management Hong Kong Ltd /foreign investment
Clarification: Sugar daddy [(cvr) 23nov95,30]
21dec95, 04
[Contrary to our cover story, Holiday International Group denies that Cambodian businessman Theng Bunma has any holdings in its Holiday International Casino Hotel in Phnom Penh.]
Cambodia /Theng Bunma /corruption /drugs /hotels

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